



## Department of Fire Services & Massachusetts State Police Bomb Squad



*are pleased to announce*

### ***IED Recognition & Response Training***

This one-day course will:

- Familiarize first responders with explosive materials
- Assist in identification of Improvised Explosive Devices (IEDs), Vehicle Borne Improvised Explosive Devices (VBIEDs), Homicide / Suicide bombers, and homemade explosives (HMEs)
- Identify proper response guidelines to such incidents

Current trends, case studies and information sources are also highlighted. A “live” explosives demonstration and explosives detection canine (EK9) demonstration will be conducted, when possible.



Photo by Frank San Severino www.firenews.org

***Training is designed for  
all first responders***

Course:	203-900-950 Session A
Date:	May 19, 2010
Time:	0830 – 1630
Location:	Bristol Community College 777 Elsbree Street, Fall River, MA Room H209/210 (within the "H" building)

Student Capacity:	150
Priority:	First Responders within the SE Homeland Security Region

*\* OEMS credits pending \**

Backfill/Overtime (BF/OT) support may be allowable via your Regional Homeland Security Advisory Council. Attendees seeking BF/OT support **must** contact their respective Council **prior** to applying for this course. Councils would need to submit a Training Petition to EOPSS for approval of any municipal BF/OT.

***Please complete a standard DFS / MFA student application or register online at [www.mass.gov/dfs](http://www.mass.gov/dfs).***

**Mail to:** Registrar  
Massachusetts Firefighting Academy  
State Road, P.O. Box 1025, Stow, MA 01775  
(978) 567-3200

**Or Fax to:**  
(978) 567-3229

*This is a priority selection course and you will be notified by email as to whether or not  
you have been selected to attend.*



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